

FEBRUARY 23, 2014

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SECOND PRESBYTERIAN  
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Second Presbyterian Church is a welcoming community of faith where Jesus Christ transforms lives through:

**worship**, as we praise and glorify God;

**mission**, as we embody God's love in service to the world;

**discipleship**, as we listen for God's Word;

**giving**, as we express gratitude to God;

**fellowship**, as we love and care for one another.

**Weekly Sunday Worship**

8:15 a.m.—Chapel

9:30 a.m.—Sanctuary

11 a.m.—Sanctuary

**Service of Communion & Wholeness**

10:35 a.m.—Chapel

**Families@Five Worship**

5 p.m.—Chapel

**Second@Six Casual Worship**

6 p.m.—Sanctuary

**Next Sunday, March 2**

8:15, 9:30 and 11 a.m.  
Dr. Lewis F. Galloway

Families@Five  
Rev. Caroline V. Dennis

Second@Six  
Dr. Richard L. Baker

SUNDAY MORNING WORSHIP - 9:30 & 11 AM



Building Community ❖ Transforming Lives ❖ Engaging the World

# Today@Second

**8 a.m.**

Coffee, McFarland Hall

Theology, Thoughts & Coffee, 312:  
Studying Paul Tillich's book,  
*Dynamics of Faith*

**9:30 a.m.**

Nursery: Infants, 240; Toddler, 233

Preschool & Kindergarten Sunday  
School, Second Floor

Elementary Sunday School, Third Floor

Middle School, Youth Suite

High School, Youth Suite

Faith in Action, Common Room:  
Linda Proffitt, Executive Director and  
Founder of Global Peace Initiatives on  
"Making a Difference in Your Own  
Backyard"

Families in Christ, 112

Koinonia, 402:

Book Study - *The Lost Letters of Pergamum*  
by Bruce W. Longenecker

The Upper Room Bible Study, 109

Words on the Word, 312:

Discuss AM sermon Scripture text

"Wrestling with Wisdom," Choir Room

**10:30 a.m.**

Coffee Hour, McFarland Hall:

Kenya Carnival Sign-up

PW Inspiring Speaker Reservations

**11 a.m.**

Footsteps of Faith, Youth Suite

New Officer Orientation, 407

**11:15 a.m.**

Carol Choir Rehearsal, Choir Room

Cherub Choir Rehearsal, 312

Choristers Rehearsal, 112

**1 p.m.**

Musical Script Rehearsal, Choir Room

**4 p.m.**

Carol Choir Warm-up, 112

**5:30 p.m.**

Sundays@Supper, Common Room

**6 p.m.**

Second@Six Children's Classes, Third Floor



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Facebook.com/2PCCE

## MISSION AND BENEVOLENCE



# 2014 Kenya Carnival



**SATURDAY, MARCH 1, 2 TO 6 P.M.**

❖ Help us welcome over 10 interfaith congregations into our church while raising money and awareness for students who are part of the Umoja Project in Chulaimbo, Kenya.

❖ **Ken-ya Help Us?** Sign-up to volunteer for 1-1/2 hour shifts! at **KenyaCarnival.com!** There are hundreds of opportunities!

## FELLOWSHIP AND EDUCATION



# Wrestling with Wisdom: Proverbs

"The fear of the LORD is the beginning of wisdom"

PROVERBS 1:7

**SUNDAYS, 9:30 AM, CHOIR ROOM**

The book of Proverbs claims: *"For learning about wisdom and instruction, for understanding words of insight, for gaining instruction in wise dealing, righteousness, justice, and equity; to teach shrewdness to the simple, knowledge and prudence to the young—let the wise also hear and gain in learning, and the discerning acquire skill, to understand a proverb and a figure, the words of the wise and their riddles"* (PROVERBS 1:2-6).

Join Dr. Richard Baker and Rev. Will Scott in unraveling the riddles of Proverbs.

# Service of Holy Communion and Wholeness

*"Come to me, all you that are weary and are carrying heavy burdens, and I will give you rest."*

MATTHEW 11:28

Sundays, 10:35 a.m.,  
Milner Chapel

This worship service is held every Sunday for those who would like to receive The Lord's Supper and join in a reflective time of prayer.

Please come and be renewed.

# Be Renewed.



# February 23, 2014 — Seventh Sunday after Epiphany

## We Come Together as God's People

- Prelude** *O Lamm Gottes, unschuldig*, BWV 656 J.S. Bach  
Dr. John Allegar, organist (1685-1750)
- \* **Call to Worship** Rev. Karen L. Lang (9:30)  
Rev. Joyce E. Hunn (11:00)
- Leader: Jesus said, "If any want to become my followers, let them deny themselves, and take up their cross and follow me."  
**People: The Son of Man must be lifted up, that whoever believes in him may have eternal life.**  
 Leader: Let us worship God.
- \*+ **Processional Hymn #376** *Love Divine, All Loves Excelling* HYFRYDOL
- \* **Lighting of the Candles** Simon Gaha, Alexandra Gooden (9:30)  
Thomas Chappell, McKenzie Cheek (11:00)
- \* **Prayer of Adoration**
- \*+ **Hymn #473** *For the Beauty of the Earth* DIX
- Call to Confession**
- Silent Confession**
- Assurance of Pardon**
- \* **Gloria Patri** (Hymn #579)
- \* **Passing of the Peace**  
 Leader: The peace of Christ be with you.  
 People: And also with you.
- + **Ritual of Friendship and Concerns of the Church** Dr. Lewis F. Galloway

## We Experience God's Word

Time with the Children (11:00)

**Prayer of Illumination** Claudia Benz (9:30)  
Linda Beeson (11:00)

**First Lesson** Leviticus 19:1-2, 9-18 (p. 105)

\* Those who are able may stand. + Latecomers may be seated.



**Welcome!** We are so glad to have you with us in worship this morning. If you are worshipping with us for the first time, please fill out one of the "welcome" cards in the pew rack so we may greet you and respond to any questions you might have.

Today, we welcome Dr. Matthew Myer Boulton, President of Christian Theological Seminary, to our pulpit. Both he and his wife, Rev. Elizabeth Myer Boulton, have been our Festival of Faith speakers this weekend.

### CARRYING IN THE ELEMENTS TODAY

**9:30:** Todd, Jane, Gillian and Lucas Louiso

**11:00:** Wanda and Mike Shepherd

### HYMN #376

**Love Divine, All Loves Excelling** is one of the over 6000 hymns written by Charles Wesley, co-founder of the movement which became the Methodist denomination. Other hymns written by Wesley include *Christ the Lord Is Risen Today*, *Hark! The Herald Angels Sing* and *Rejoice! the Lord is King*. The hymn's assertion that one can be completely cleansed of sin through God's divine love goes against the traditional Wesleyan theology as preached by Charles' brother John. The fourth verse particularly illuminates Charles' belief in our complete redemption through Christ.

### HYMN #473

**For the Beauty of the Earth** was written by Foliott S. Pierpoint. Not much is known about the author, except that he was born in Bath, England in 1835 and was a lay member of the Anglican Church. While he composed seven volumes of poems and hymn texts, he is best remembered for this hymn. The imagery of each couplet of the first verse extends outward, beginning with the earth, then the skies, then the love of God which surrounds all. The second verse acknowledges the physical beauty of the created world—the passing of day into night, followed by the earthly and heavenly elements. The third verse celebrates the joy of human relationship. Finally the Church itself, as God's ordained agency, is lifted high. Each verse culminates with the common refrain that it is God who makes all the joys and beauties of life possible.

**PARENTS: TIME WITH THE CHILDREN**

Before sending your child to the nursery (age 3 & under), Cherub Choir (age 4-Kindergarten), Choristers (Grade 1-2) or Carol Choir (Grades 3-5) please fill out a name tag (in pew racks). Place half on your child's back and bring the other half when you pick up your child.

Cherub Choir in Room 312

Choristers in Room 112

Carol Choir in Choir Auditorium

Parents and guardians of Choir School participants should pick their children up in the Choir Auditorium following the completion of the 11 a.m. service.

**A SERVICE OF HOLY COMMUNION AND WHOLENESS**

10:35 a.m. in Milner Chapel  
Rev. Karen L. Lang

**News Within the Church Family**

**Hospitalized:**  
Bob Browne

**Anthem** *Antiphon (from Five Mystical Songs)* R.V. Williams (1910-1996)

Let all the world in every corner sing, my God and King,  
The heavens are not too high, His praise may thither fly,  
The earth is not too low, His praises there may grow.  
Let all the world in every corner sing, my God and King,  
The church with psalms must shout, no door can keep them out;  
But above all, the heart must bear the longest part.  
Let all the world in every corner sing, my God and King.

George Herbert (1593-1633)

**Second Lesson** Matthew 5:38-48 (p. 881)

**Response**

**Leader:** This is the word of the Lord.

**People:** Thanks be to God.

**Sermon** Dr. Matthew Myer Boulton

**“The Great Reversal”**

*“But I say to you, Love your enemies and pray for those who persecute you.”*

(MATTHEW 5:44)

**We Give Thanks to God**

**Invitation to Christian Discipleship**

\* **Affirmation of Faith** The Nicene Creed (Ecumenical) (Hymnal p.15)

**We believe in one God,**  
**the Father, the Almighty,**  
**maker of heaven and earth,**  
**of all that is,**  
**seen and unseen.**

**We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ,**  
**the only Son of God,**  
**eternally begotten of the Father,**  
**God from God, Light from Light,**  
**true God from true God,**  
**begotten, not made,**  
**of one Being with the Father;**  
**through him all things were made.**

**For us and for our salvation**  
**he came down from heaven,**  
**was incarnate of the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary**  
**and became truly human.**  
**For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate;**  
**he suffered death and was buried.**

\* Those who are able may stand. + Latecomers may be seated.

On the third day he rose again  
 in accordance with the Scriptures;  
 he ascended into heaven  
 and is seated on the right hand of the Father.  
 He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead,  
 and his kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,  
 who proceeds from the Father and the Son,  
 who with the Father and the Son is worshiped and glorified,  
 who has spoken through the prophets.  
 We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church.  
 We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.  
 We look for the resurrection of the dead,  
 and the life of the world to come. Amen.

**Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer**

**Offertory** *Near the Cross* arr. Letha Cole  
 Erin Benedict, mezzo-soprano

Jesus, keep me near the cross, there is a precious fountain,  
 Free to all, a healing stream, flows from Calvary's mountain.  
 In the cross, in the cross be my glory ever,  
 Till my raptured soul shall find rest beyond the river.  
 Near the cross, a trembling soul, love and mercy found me;  
 There the Bright and Morning Star shed his beams around me.  
 Near the cross! O Lamb of God, bring its scenes before me;  
 Help me walk from day to day with its shadow o'er me.  
 Jesus, Jesus, near the cross I'll watch and wait, hoping, trusting ever,  
 Till I reach the golden strand, just beyond the river.  
 In the cross, in the cross be my glory ever,  
 Till my raptured soul shall find rest beyond the river.

\* **Doxology and the Prayer of Thanksgiving**

**We Go Forth to Serve**

\* **Closing Hymn #371** *Lift High the Cross* CRUCIFER

\* **Charge and Benediction**

\* **Benediction Response** *Christ, We Do All Adore Thee* Théodore Dubois  
 (from *The Seven Last Words of Christ*) (1837-1924)

Christ, we do all adore thee, and we do praise thee forever.  
 Christ, we do all adore thee!

\* **Postlude** *Poco Vivace* Hermann Schroeder  
 (1904-1984)

**THE LORD'S PRAYER**

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

**DOXOLOGY**

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;  
 Praise Him, all creatures here below;  
 Praise Him above, ye heavenly host;  
 Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

**HYMN #371**

**Lift High the Cross** was written by Englishman George William Kitchin in 1916. Kitchin attended King's College, Cambridge and Christ Church College, Oxford before becoming the first chancellor of the University of Durham. The tune, CRUCIFER, was composed by Sydney Hugh Nicholson, who founded the School of English Church Music in 1927. The triumphant mood set by the music and the refrain's exhortation to lift up the cross of Christ as a symbol of Jesus' love challenges every believer to live a Christ-like life.

# This Week@Second

## Monday, February 24

- **PW Prayer Group.** 9 a.m., 355.
- **Centering Prayer.** 10 a.m., 355.
- **PW Book & Bible Study.** 10 a.m., 112.
- **PW Mission Sew-ers.** 10 a.m., 230.

## Tuesday, February 25

- **Men's Fellowship Breakfast.** 7 a.m., Youth Suite.
- **New Day for Children of Divorce.** 6 p.m., 356.

## Wednesday, February 26

- **Labyrinth.** 8 a.m. - 8 p.m., McFarland Hall. Open to all!
- **PW Wednesday AM Bible Study.** 9:30 a.m., 356.
- **Sages Future is Now Luncheon with Dr. Shelle Louer.** 11:30 a.m. Common Room.
- **New Day Volunteer Training.** 5:30 p.m., 312.
- **Connect Bible Supper & Study.** 6 p.m., 355.
- **Centering Prayer Wed. Night.** 6:30 p.m., 113.
- **Financial Peace Class.** 6:30 p.m., 356.
- **Youth Ministries Wed. Night.** 6:30 p.m., Youth Suite. Quest: Middle School. Niners: Confirmation. Trek: High School.
- **Second Winds Rehearsal.** 8 p.m., Community Room.

## Thursday, February 27

- **PW Thursday AM Bible Study.** 9:15 a.m., 407.
- **Son Rise Adult Bible Study.** 6 p.m., McFarland Hall.
- **Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal.** 7 p.m., Choir Auditorium.
- **Edson Youth Choir Rehearsal.** 7-8:15 p.m., Chapel.

## Friday, February 28

- **Mindfulness Meditation.** 12:15-12:45 p.m., 113.

## Saturday, March 1

- **Kenya Carnival.** 2-6 p.m.

## FELLOWSHIP AND EDUCATION

### LEIGH RILEY EVANS

CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER OF MAPLETON-FALL CREEK DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION

SUNDAY, MARCH 2, 9:30 AM

### Fulfilling God's Purpose for Your Life

Through various stages of her life Leigh has lived in Indianapolis. She began living in the Mapleton-Fall Creek neighborhood in 1977 and still calls it home. Most recently, she moved back into the neighborhood in 2008 with her husband Scott and three sons - Montgomery, Adam Blake and Harrison.

- ❖ **Creating opportunities for intentional inclusion.**
- ❖ **Fostering connections across cultures to develop strengths.**
- ❖ **Collectively implement positive changes in our neighborhoods.**



## Families @Five



## Come, Journey with Us!

Families with children are encouraged to join us on Sunday evenings for this casual worship service designed for young children and their families.

In the new year, we will focus on Moses' Sacred Journey.

## Sunday @Supper

After worship, we sit at Table and enjoy fellowship and a wonderful supper together each week.

SUNDAYS AT 5 PM

## MUSIC AND FINE ARTS

### Take Home Your Copy While They Last!



### Once they are gone, they are gone!

In celebration of the 175th Anniversary of Second Presbyterian Church, the Fine Arts Advisory Team has published a fascinating book, entitled *The Art and Architecture of Second Presbyterian Church*.

All profits from the book will be donated to Northside Ministries and Westminster Neighborhood Ministries.

Books may be purchased for \$30 online.

Please visit [SecondChurch.org/FAAT](http://SecondChurch.org/FAAT) for more details.

**The books have arrived!** If you pre-ordered copies, please pick them up at the Music and Fine Arts office during regular business hours.

## Are You A Family of Divorce?



Groups for children ages 3 years - 8th grade

Adult groups

Play & Expressive Arts

Free for Families



NewDayIndy.org  
317-252-5518

## Souper Bowl of Caring

- **Thank You** for your generous contributions to The Souper Bowl of Caring. Your offering helps to feed hungry families served by Westminster Neighborhood Ministries and the Northside Food Pantry.
- **This year we have raised \$27,937 in monetary donations and collected 2775 items of food.**
- If you have not had an opportunity to contribute it is not too late. Please write "Souper Bowl of Caring" on the memo line of your check.

### MUSIC AND FINE ARTS



## MUSICAL MARCH MADNESS

### Purduettes in Concert

SUNDAY, MARCH 9, SANCTUARY, 3 PM

Celebrating music of all genres with a vast repertoire including pop, classical, contemporary, country, swing, patriotic, Broadway, gospel and jazz, this multi-talented troupe of women represents the brightest and best from a variety of majors and areas of study. Directed by Jeff Vallier, the Purduettes provide energetic and quality entertainment suitable for audiences of all ages and backgrounds.

## Northside Mission Ministry Orientation

- Learn more about Second's Northside Mission Ministry and volunteer opportunities with the Food Pantry, Community Garden and Greenbriar Elementary.
- **Plan to attend one of the following sessions on Sundays at 11 a.m.:**
  - March 16, Room 356
  - April 27, Common Room
- Please RSVP to Ellen Gullett, at [esgullett@yahoo.com](mailto:esgullett@yahoo.com).

### FELLOWSHIP AND EDUCATION



## Making Mystics Out of Cheeses

### The Life and Works of Flannery O'Connor

*"What I am asking for is really very ridiculous. Oh Lord, I am saying, at present I am a cheese, make me a mystic immediately. But then God can do that—make mystics out of cheeses."*

—Flannery O'Connor, *A Prayer Journal*

MARCH 19 - APRIL 9, 6:30-8 PM, MILNER CHAPEL

During five Wednesday nights in Lent, Dr. Richard Baker will lead a discussion on O'Connor's life, her writing, and the larger themes of each: how grace changes us, why it is painful, how we resist it, and how God's grace overcomes that resistance.

Wednesdays  
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## Rehm Guild

- **Tuesday, March 25** at noon, Rehm Guild will begin its spring season. First children from Children's Circle Preschool will sing, then Cara Paul, the director, will talk about the Preschool. Rehm Guild is open to all women members of the church. Interested? Please call Sally Bratton at 846-1844.



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Mon.-Fri.: 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.;  
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**Children's Circle Preschool**

(317) 252-5517

**Childcare Reservations**

(317) 252-5519

**CenterPoint Counseling**

(317) 252-5518

**NEW TO US?**

**Are you considering  
membership at Second?**

Please plan to attend the  
next Discovering Second,  
a two-part class on  
**Saturday, March 15,  
9 a.m. - 1 p.m. and  
Sunday, March 16,  
9 - 10:45 a.m.**

Please contact  
Dr. Jim Riley at 253-6461 or  
JRiley@SecondChurch.org

MUSIC AND FINE ARTS

MUSICAL MARCH MADNESS

**Shrove Tuesday  
Jazz Concert**

TUESDAY, MARCH 4, SANCTUARY, 7 PM



Vocalist Erin Benedict with the renowned  
Second@Six Jazz Trio – Gary Walters (piano),  
Steve Dokken (bass) and Chris Pyle (drums) will  
have you swingin', clappin' and tappin' your toes in  
this program of sacred and secular music in the jazz  
tradition. A free-will offering will be taken to benefit  
the Northside Food Pantry.

**Ash Wednesday Service**

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 5

SANCTUARY, 7 PM



A meditative service of confession and penitence marks the beginning of Lent. Music by the  
Beecher Singers accompanies scripture, sermon and the imposition of ashes.

PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN



**Inspiring Speaker Series**

THURSDAY, MARCH 13

11:15 AM, MCFARLAND HALL

**Jody Lamotte**, Christian author and  
speaker will present, "Choosing Joy in the  
Journey of Life."

Tickets: \$15 at [SecondChurch.org/ISS](http://SecondChurch.org/ISS)  
and during Coffee Hour starting Sunday,  
February 23. Childcare is available upon  
request.

Save the  
Date for the  
144th Praise  
Gathering  
on Thursday,  
May 8!